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## THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

### The Civil Service Commissioner Presents his Annual Report.

### Workings of the New Law Declared to be Successful.

### Arthur's Views as to Political Work by Office Holders.

**Success of the Civil Service Law.**

WASHINGTON, February 29. The following message was sent to congress to-day:

In compliance with the act of congress approved January 16, 1883, entitled an act to regulate and improve the civil service of the United States, the civil service commission has made to the president its first annual report. That report is herewith transmitted, together with communications from the heads of the several executive departments of the government respecting the practical working of the law under which the commission has been acting. Upon the good results which that law has already accomplished I congratulate congress and the people, and I avow my conviction that it will henceforth prove to be of still more signal benefit to the public service. I heartily commend the zeal and fidelity of the commissioners and their suggestions for further legislation and I advise making such appropriation as shall be adequate for their needs.

[Signed] CHESTER A. ARTHUR

The report makes a volume of sixty-seven closely printed pages. It states that the several results which appear to be the more direct objects of the law and civil service rules as understood by the commission are: First, that official authority and influence must no longer be used to impair the freedom of elections or coerce political action of citizens; second, the exaction from those in the public service, whether under the form of political assessments or otherwise, for the purpose of paying expenses of parties or candidates, must come to an end, third, the selection for the executive service on a basis of official favor and partizan influence must be superseded by requiring examinations and other adequate tests of character and capacity as conditions of entering this service; fourth, the true responsibility and independence of the legislative and executive departments under the constitution must be restored and preserved.

Upon the subject of political assessments the report says there have been several violations of the law, but trifling sums were secured and the illegal practice ceased upon public attention being called to it. The amount collected from federal officers since the act went into effect is not more than one half or one quarter as much as formerly. The evils of the spoils system are set forth at great length and the benefits derived from competitive examinations fully described. The difficulty attending classification of the civil service is dwelt upon at length and the statement made that at large offices the power and opportunity for intrigue and selfish influence are dangerously great. In three branches of the classified service the number of places to be filled on a basis of competitive examinations is in the aggregate 18,924. The increase since made in the classified service carries the number above 14,000.

The opinion is expressed that a salutary effect would follow the selection of chiefs of bureaus, postmasters and collectors at the larger offices from among subordinates who would bring business experience rather than partizan activity to those positions. The report states that soldiers and sailors honorably discharged by reason of disability, if capable, are allowed preference and nowhere is there any favor or disadvantage allowed by reason of sex. The commission holds that the power of removal and its exercise for just reasons are essential both to the discipline and efficiency of the public service. It is still possible, says the report, to promise the spoils of one hundred thousand offices as the rewards of party victory in the national canvass. It is still possible to remove every person in the classified service once in four years or once in four months, but vacancies can be filled only by those who irrespective of party demonstrate their superiority in a free open competition of character and capacity.

It appears from statistics presented with the report that 65 per cent of all those who have entered the service through competitive examinations were educated in the common schools alone, and the commission consider it unquestionable that the nation by bestowing its offices upon the most meritorious of those whom the states have educated at public expense will greatly honor and stimulate the public school system of the country. The report gives an extra large number of letters received from postmasters and collectors showing the great benefit that has accrued to the public service by the enforcement of civil service rules. It is suggested that the party test be no longer applied in the selection of collectors and postmasters and that every corrupt exercise of power in nomination, promotion, transfer or confirmation, even though the corrupt consideration may not be a thing of value, should be an offense under the bribery laws. The commissioner in conclusion declares the civil service act a success and does not doubt that the most difficult point has been passed. Through every stage of his work the commissioner has had the constant and unwavering support of President Arthur.

**The Civil Service and Politics**

WASHINGTON, February 29.—A gentleman who called upon the president yesterday stated to him that certain subordinate officers of the postoffice department in a western state had expressed fear of removal in case they advocated his re-nomination, because the senator who controlled the patronage of that state is himself a candidate for the presidency and claimed their allegiance and assistance. The president said he was surprised to hear this and hoped it was not true. He believed every citizen, whether he was in an official position or not, was entitled to the right and privilege of freely expressing his preference and work for the nomination of his favorite, so far as he could do so without interference with his official duties. He further said that every employe of the government should be protected in the exercise of the widest political liberty.

**Pension Statistics**

WASHINGTON, February 29 Matson, chairman of the committee on invalid pensions, has prepared a report accompanying his bill providing for increase of pensions to soldiers' widows and dependent relatives from $8 to $12 per month. The report says the total number of widows and dependent relatives of soldiers of the late war now on the pension roll is 72,180. The number of claimants that will probably secure pensions is 33,003. The number of soldiers of 1812 together with claimants who will probably receive pensions is 13,600. The total number of pensioners whose rates will be increased by the bill is estimated at 194,338, and the aggregate annual increase of pensions nearly six millions. The report says that owing to the age of those who will be affected by the bill the pension list will rapidly decrease.

**Postal Matters**

WASHINGTON, February 29 —The postoffice appropriation bill as prepared by the committee appropriates for compensation to postmasters $10,500,000 and provides that no salary of any postmaster shall exceed $4,000 per year. The postmaster general is authorized and directed to readjust compensation to be paid from and after July 1, '84, for transportation of mails on railroad routes by reducing compensation to all railroad companies five per cent per annum below the present rates computed on the basis of average weight. The use of official envelopes is extended to all officers of the United States government, not including members of congress, and to all official mail matter of the Smithsonian institute. The aggregate appropriation recommended in the bill is $45,200,000. The estimates for '85 were $50,000,000.

**Denver Items.**

DENVER, February 29.—About 16,000 acres of state land in Conejos county was to-day sold to the Citizens' Ditch company, the price paid being $1.25 per acre.

In the criminal court to-day the first case against the doctors for practicing without a license was tried. The case was that of Dr. Albert Brown, whom the jury found to be guilty.

The somewhat celebrated Green case was decided in the supreme court this morning by the court ordering the name of Thomas A Green stricken from the roll of attorneys. This decision is regarded by attorneys conversant with the facts in the case as eminently just.

**Land Frauds.**

SAN FRANCISCO, February 29.—The Portland Oregonian published this morning an article exposing a vast land robbing scheme under the legislative act of 1870, entitled an act providing for the selection and sale of swamp lands in Oregon. It charges H. C. Owen, of Eugene, with filing four million acres, much of which is excellent grazing lands. It charges R. V. Aukeny, sent from Washington to examine the land, in behalf of the government, with being bribed to further the schemes of Owen. Thus far Owen has selected 372,000 acres of the millions filed. The Oregonian demands the prevention of corrupt speculation by an investigation of the legislature.

**Treasurer Polk Dead.**

NASHVILLE, Tenn., February 29.—Intelligence has just been received of the death of Marshall T. Polk, ex-state treasurer, in East Nashville. Mr. Polk had been ill for some days but death was unexpected. He was lying on a bed talking as usual to his family, having been up and down all day and apparently in the same health as for several weeks. Even his family hardly knew when he died. His son James saw his arm fall and went to him and saw he was dead. Physicians pronounced it heart disease.

**Washington Notes.**

The estimated reduction of the public debt for February is about two million dollars.

The remains of General Ord arrived yesterday and were buried at Oak Hill cemetery with military honors.

Naval cadets L. H. Sostromska, Frederic Parker and J. W. Maxey have been dismissed by the secretary of the navy for hazing.

The secretary of war has still on hand $40,000 appropriated for the relief of sufferers which will be used in purchasing such additional supplies as become necessary.

The secretary of the treasury has given notice that the department will redeem bonds embraced in the 120th call prior to maturity May 1st, with interest to date of presentation.

The sub-committee of the house elections committee has decided to report the Manzanares-Luna contested election case of New Mexico in favor of Manzanares, unseating Luna, the present delegate.

Representative Nichols was instructed by the house committee on military affairs to make adverse report on the bill providing for the perpetuation of the offices of general and lieutenant general of the army.

## GENERAL MATTERS.

### Leadville Officials Ousted by a Defective Election Law.

### Affairs at the National Capital--Congressional Doings.

### Philadelphia Firemen Fighting the Flames All Night.

**Leadville Officials Ousted**

DENVER, February 29 —In the supreme court this morning a decision was made by which the new law under which the present city officials of Leadville were elected was declared unconstitutional and the offices of the city clerk, now held by W. W Officer, and city marshal, held by Ed Cuddihee, were declared vacated The law is the one passed at the last meeting of the state legislature to change the tenure of office from one to two years and the elections from the fall to the spring. It seems that some question had been raised as to the legality of the act and it was desired to have the matter disposed of before the spring election, which takes place in April. The ground on which the decision was made was that the act contained two subjects, whereas section twenty-one of article five of the constitution provides that an act shall contain but one subject, which shall be stated in the title. It is said that the other Leadville city officials having been elected under the same act will also be ousted.

**Inter-State Commerce.**

WASHINGTON, February 29.—The house committee asked to report Representative Stewart's bill to regulate inter-state commerce and provide for the appointment of a commission. An amendment to prohibit pooling has been added to the bill. Each member of the committee while assenting to the proposition to report reserved the right to make amendments when up for consideration in the house As agreed to the bill provides that in transportation of property charges shall be reasonable for such service; that there shall be no discrimination of freight; that it shall be unlawful to allow any rebates, and that pooling under any circumstances shall be unlawful. The bill also provides for the appointment of a commission to consist of three members to investigate complaints. If satisfied that the act has been violated the commission is required to notify the company to cease violation. If the company fails to comply with the decision of the commission within six days it is required to show cause why it should not be enjoined and restrained from continuance of such violation.

**XLVIII Congress.**

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, February 29 Randall, committee on appropriations, reported a resolution calling on the secretary of the treasury for information whether any additional clerical force is required for the purpose of paying claims for rebate on tobacco. Adopted.

The house went into committee of the whole on the private calendar.

The first bill on the calendar was that to authorize the retirement of Alfred Pleasanton as major-general. An amendment was recommended by the military committee making the rank brigadier-general.

The bill was advocated by Bayne, Rosecrans and Maginnis and opposed by Steele, Stockslager, Brown and McMillan.

Belford in supporting the bill declared all peanut cheese paring statesmen came from Indiana and Tennessee. He thought congress should act generously towards a gallant soldier like General Pleasanton. "Let it be generous not only to soldiers of the union, but also (and he supposed the press would condemn him for this), to soldiers who led the southern army. Let the red rose of the south be blended with the white rose of the north. Let the families of York and Lancaster be united forever and forever, and make this the grandest republic that ever appeared in the annals of the world."

Cutcheon offered an amendment fixing the rank of retirement at colonel.

White, of Kentucky, opposed the bill and in the course of his remarks said General Pleasanton, though deserving, was no more deserving than less honored men who served in the ranks.

Rosecrans inquired whether the general belonged to the latter class.

White replied that he did not, but that even though he were not an interested party as some persons seemed to be he could cast an intelligent vote upon the measure.

Rosecrans in a low tone said something casting a doubt upon the gentleman's mental ability to do so.

White If you mean to insult me you had better retire to your land grant in California where you have got unjustly thousands of acres which belonged to soldiers and which but for that would have gone to them.

Rosecrans was walking away when this remark was made, but subsequently being informed what had been said, asked White to repeat it and say what he meant by it.

White—The Record will show what I said and I stand on record.

"I want to know it now; right here where you are responsible," exclaimed Rosecrans.

This colloquy coming out of White's time that gentleman refused to yield farther.

Cutcheon's amendment providing that General Pleasanton be retired with the rank of colonel was adopted and the bill as amended laid aside for favorable report.

The committee rose and Steele moved to recommit the bill to the committee on military affairs with instructions to report back a bill placing on the retired list with the rank of colonel all soldiers of the late war suffering total disability.

A point of order was raised against this motion. Pending decision the postoffice appropriation bill was reported by Townshend and referred to the committee of the whole The house then took a recess until 7 30. The evening session is to be for the consideration of pension bills.

The house at the evening session passed about twenty pension bills and adjourned until to morrow.

SENATE.

Harrison, committee on territories, reported favorably an original bill providing for the admission of the territory of Dakota Ordered printed and re-committed.

Ransom, committee on appropriations, reported back adversely the joint resolution introduced by him last Monday and referred to that committee, providing for appropriating aid for sufferers by the great storms in the southern states. In reporting it back Ransom stated that the committee had given the matter very careful consideration Telegrams were sent the governors of different states affected and to other persons in those states supposed to be best acquainted with the incidents of the storm and subsequent sufferings, and while the first accounts of great suffering in certain communities had been fully confirmed yet those sufferings were not in the judgment of the committee of that wide-spread, transcendent and permanent character which baffled all local, individual, municipal and state relief so as to demand intervention of the government.

Logan, committee on appropriations, reported favorably the military academy bill Calendar.

The senate resumed consideration of the bill for the construction of steel cruisers After debate the pending amendments, those of Jones and Sewell, were voted down

Morgan withdrew his objections to vessels being built by private contract and an amendment was offered by him, which was after modification accepted by Hale, embodying in the bill by direct words and not by description merely the substance of the acts of '82 and '83, together with the provision that bids may be accepted not only from builders who may now be ready to build vessels but who may be able to satisfy the secretary of the navy that they can in three months after making the contract be ready to do so. The bill then passed, 38 yeas, 13 nays. Adjourned till Monday.

**Philadelphia Fires—Great Damage.**

PHILADELPHIA, February 29.—Five fires occurred during the night. Owing to the violence of the winds and the great distance between the various alarms, the firemen found much trouble in keeping the flames under control. The most disastrous was at the chemical works of Powers & Weightman, the largest of the kind in the country, which were totally destroyed The loss at this place will be over a million dollars. The fire was first discovered about ten o'clock, but the alarm was not responded to because the only engines in that fire district were already engaged in combatting a similar fire in wool mills at Second and Lehigh avenue. One of the two engines which answered the first call came a distance of nearly two miles. The stone of Coon Bros. & Co, produce commission merchants, 29 South Water street, was damaged $10,000. About the same time the Echo Carpet Mill, Lehigh Avenue and Palethorpe street, and three or four dwellings adjoining were destroyed, involving a loss of $25,000. The other fires were not so serious, but frequent alarms served to distract the firemen and tax the department to its fullest capacity. Every fire company in the city was in service at one time. At 2 15 a. m. a general alarm was sounded. The firemen responded as promptly as possible, but they were weary. Another and fires burning in various sections of the city made their work appear endless. They were benumbed with cold, but succeeded in keeping neighboring buildings soaked with water, as the winds enveloped them in a perfect storm of sparks and cinders. By times the chemicals seemed to burn with such extraordinary fierceness and were evidently spreading so rapidly that residents of the neighborhood left their houses under the impression that a terrible explosion was liable to occur at any moment. It was difficult to calm them and induce them not to risk the lives of their children by exposing them on such a night. At this time the entire square seemed to be a vast sheet of flame, and soon after three explosions of fusil oil occurred. The burning fluid ran through the streets and the firemen called upon citizens to help rescue the engines and hose carriages from the river of blazing oil. The oil soon burned itself out, but the flames had spread across the alley-way to a five story brick building stored with a large quantity of combustible materials. The building with all its contents was entirely destroyed. Up to 5 o'clock the flames steadily triumphed over opposition, lighting up the entire city, while the neighboring streets were blocked with panic stricken residents removing their goods to places of safety. From 5 until noon the progress of the fire was confined to burning inflammable matter within the confines already described and there was no fear of it spreading. Some neighboring houses had their roofs and fronts burnt and fronts damaged by fire and falling walls, but the thorough drenching with water during the night prevented their total destruction. It has been impossible so far to obtain from any one connected with the firm any idea of the value of the machinery and stock. General estimates vary from a million to million and a half and put the insurance at over five hundred thousand, of which $215,000 is in this city. The remainder is in eastern and foreign companies.

It is ascertained that on a portion of the property destroyed there is an insurance of $290,000. The total loss will greatly exceed the amount of insurance. The firm state that it is impossible to form an estimate of the loss, owing to the large numbers and varying cost and character of the articles under manufacture. This was the largest establishment of the kind in the country and dealers in foreign quinine at New York to-day put up the price from .35 to $1 55 per ounce.

Fire broke out about seven this evening in Rodger's lamp, oil and crockery store, South Second street, said to have been caused by explosion of coal oil. The flames spread rapidly and Philip R. Kelly and wife, who occupied the third floor found their escape cut off and jumped from a window to the pavement. Mrs. Kelly had her skull fractured and her husband an ankle fractured.

**A. T. & S. F. Changes.**

TOPEKA, February 29.—The following promotions and appointments on the A. T. & S. F. railroad were made to-day: George W. McCrary, general counsellor; A. A. Robinson, general superintendent, promoted to be general manager; George R. Harris, appointed assistant general manager.

## NEW MEXICAN MINES.

### Interesting Letter from Our Correspondent at Blackhawk.

### The Probabilities of Success in Prospecting There.

### Formations in Which the Precious Metals are Found.

BLACK HAWK, N M., February 25, '84.

Regular Correspondence GAZETTE

Before leaving Colorado Springs I had numerous requests to give the chances and probabilities of success in prospecting in New Mexico This I promised to do through the GAZETTE. I have been here but little over a week, and have seen but little of the mining regions of the territory, and can give only what I have gathered from the miners and prospectors I have met with, and what I have seen in this district; the only one I have yet visited. Those I have met with agree in all things save in regard to the comparative worth of the several districts In this there is the same diversity of opinion as found in Colorado. On the main point, however—the probability of securing good properties by location in the present known districts—all agree. And the same holds good for Arizona.

But first a little on the country. There are two rock formations in which the silver ores are found in New Mexico granite and lime or lime contact. The ores found in, or in contact with the lime, are chiefly lead ore, galena and carbonates, generally pockety and of low grade in silver. I have seen none of those mines. The granite of New Mexico, in which silver is found, I am told is much the same the territory over as what is here at Black Hawk, and is distinguished by geologists by the term syenitic granite, as, in addition to quartz and feld spar, it contains both hornblende and mica It is here called syenite, probably because of the great excess of hornblende over the mica. I find no other country rock around Black Hawk. There are what are here called porphyry dikes, coursing through the coarser crystaled granite, but I am unable to see the porphyry or the dikes. All is of the same substances, differing only in crystaline structure. That which is called porphyry being finer grained and having distinct cleavage-planes corresponding with the course and dip of the seam This alone would be proof positive that they are not dikes, but in addition to this they change on one side by gradual gradation into the coarse crystalline syenitic granite—the country rock. It is not necessary to theorize as to the cause of the difference in the crystallization.

This syenitic granite is regarded by geologists as mineral-bearing rock par excellence, and there can be no doubt but that the larger portion of the silver mined in the world was at one time contained in this, or in similar granite; and if so, the formation here is good.

This district is on the summit of the continental divide, and yet the elevation is but 6,000 feet above sea level. The upheaval of the chain was probably much less here than it was in Colorado, but there are unmistakable evidences that the heighth has been greatly reduced by inundation. And, this too, I regard as favorable to the finding of rich and reliable metalliferous fissure veins, as, in this case, the present surface rock must once have been deeply buried. I do not, however, regard this rock as so old as that of the upper Animas river, or the country rock of Ruby district, but in this I am almost alone: with, as I see, the rock evidences on my side, and geologists and geological theories against me. If I am right, the granite here is not of great thickness.

The first location in this district was made in '81, and as the law only requires that $100 in labor expended on claims located that year, be done by January 1, '83, very little development has been done by locators up to this time. The only attempt, with one or two exceptions, so far as I have learned, has been made after claims have passed into other hands; and until quite recently, this only by the Solid Silver Mining Co. They have one shaft 400 feet deep. The district is yet new and undeveloped. The ores are chiefly native silver, chlorides and sulphides, and rich in silver in proportion as these are found to the rock; there being little of the baser metals. From the veins of the Solid Silver company are taken large masses of native silver, so free from rock as to mill 80 per cent pure silver. The low grade ores are only so from the silver being diffused sparingly through the rock, and not to the baser metals, as in most other mining regions.

As was to be expected these extremely rich ores are not continuous in the veins, but found in pockets and chimneys, and they may be found to be confined to small areas, and as compared with the number of locations already made, to few veins. In regard to depth there can be no question, as the veins are fissure. In the Black Hawk, the same ores as were taken from near the surface, which made the mine famous at once, were found at the greatest depth reached—400 feet.

So little development has yet been made that the worth of the district cannot be told; the most careful estimate would be but a blind guess. The same rich ores that are mined here are found in places over a wide extent, but little or nothing apart from the richest mines is known in regard to quantity. In many of the veins the amount of rich ore may be too small to pay working.

My impressions of the district as a whole are decidedly favorable, and that there are some marvelously rich veins and ores has been demonstrated by the workings of the Solid Silver company.

The need of territorial mining laws, similar to those of Colorado, is seen and felt in every mining district in the territory. There are a few regulations and requirements made by territorial statute, but these do not reach or cover the most important or valued points in Colorado law. Location is made by writing, or posting notice, and within ninety days the boundaries are to be marked and defined by stone monuments and the claim recorded, giving some natural landmark or permanent monument "as will identify the claim," and locations are to be made in rock in place bearing gold, silver, or etc. This, so far as it goes, is well if carried out, but it is about as a dead letter.

When a location is made upon croppings of supposed value, the requirements may oft times be met and the location fixed by permanent objects so that it can be ascertained therefrom; but I am told that in most instances no defining landmarks are given. The locating monument is often but three or four small stones placed in a clump of bushes where it cannot be seen, and these markings of the boundaries the same. No labor or development is required until the end of the calendar year succeeding that in which the location is made; and locations are made anywhere, whether there be "mineral" or rock in place or not, and all are held to be valid

As no expenditure of money or labor is required to be expended upon a claim for an average length of time of a year and a half, and that location may be made anwhere, there is no limit to the number of locations a man may make and hold, prospecting with many being nothing more than locating. A man goes out to locate and coming upon vacant ground, sets his monument; steps off six hundred feet and sets another, and so on until he has as many as he may think well to take at that place. The next day he goes in some other direction and repeats the same thing, which may be carried on *ad infinitum*, his locations holding good for ninety days without record or further care. If, during this time, a valuable discovery is made on ground which can be covered by his, perhaps, hidden locations, he claims it. And should the time for recording come, he may record one or two claims in each place and put a few stones on top of each other here and there over the ground in pretense of defining boundaries and wait results. If a vein should be discovered on a location not recorded it may be taken in by simply changing location sticks or papers, and it is his.

This may be an extreme case, which I suppose it is, but I am told such are, nevertheless, quite common. Thus it is if a discovery in a new locality is made, the ground in every direction is soon all covered.

There are men here, who are said to have from forty to eighty locations, and no work done on any, and as claims are 600 by 1,500 feet in extent (over twenty acres) the ground is soon all taken up and the prospector now in the district has a slim chance of making a location.

Should a location expire by limitation because of no work having been done, the locater may re-locate and it holds two years from date of new location if it be made at the moment of expiration, by simply renewing record. And this may be repeated times without number. It is thought the legislature now in session will do something towards remedying these evils. E. C.

## EL PASO COUNTY.

### A Letter From Our Correspondent at Bijou Basin

BIJOU BASIN, February 27, 1884.

To the Editor of the GAZETTE

The old snow has mostly gone but it is snowing again to-day. Stock in general have been doing very well in the last few days. People took advantage of the few good days and had begun work at various things.

Mr. Scott Gomer is moving his saw mill from Butler gulch to D. M. Holden's pasture. We will soon hear the buzzing of two saws and hear the blowing of whistles, as I am informed that Mr. Wilbur intends to start up soon.

Mr. F. L. Jones seems to be having lots of fun breaking more young horses to ride.

Mr. James Holden is again in our midst. He is keeping one herd of his sheep at Mr. D. M. Holden's ranch in the Basin.

Eubank and Pettey have disposed of their bovines.

Our friend who is in search of the "rib" will begin operations in the Basin as soon as the weather will permit.

There was a grand ball given at Elbert on the 21st inst., which was quite a success and very much enjoyed by all. They propose giving another on the 17th of March at the same place.

Mr. Lincoln Reed is still "holding down" Butter gulch. Like most of us he has no better half and unlike most of us he wants none.

RANGER.

**Railroad Wreck**

MONTREAL, February 29. A broken rail caused the through train from Boston to leave the rails near Iroquois on the Grand Trunk. Three first class coaches and a sleeper turned completely over. A passenger named Warner was seriously hurt, his wife badly bruised and others slightly injured.

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R. W. BEELE,
Manager of the GAZETTE.


The Leadville Chronicle aptly speaks of the "Tabor Boomlet."

Senator Logan spends most of his time in his committee room attending to his candidacy.

It would be well for our state papers to call the attention of Judge Belford to the fact that four important Colorado bills have passed the senate and are before the house.

Mrs Abby Sage Richardson lectures on Robert and Elizabeth Browning this morning at The Antlers. This is her last lecture. The reading will be at The Antlers on Tuesday evening.

For the information of those who read Judge Belford's funeral oration in yesterday morning's paper, we will say that the late Hon. D. C. Haskell was the subject of the discourse. Fortunately two large collections of poetry have been published recently, and so Judge Belford can get a fresh supply of quotations.

The Rev. Mr. Talmage delivered on Sunday one of his flashy sermons, taking the Jeannette survivors as a text In the course of his sermon he said the expedition was a success for four reasons. One reason was because "it set up the banners of Emanuel on the pinnacles of icebergs till all nations saw the crimson standard." This is foolish and don't mean anything. It may be said however that there was no need of putting a small pox signal on an arctic iceberg so that all nations could see it, as there does not seem to be any tendency just now to go to the north pole and so the warning is unnecessary.

Sir Lepel Griffen is giving through the English reviews a good deal of misinformation about America which he gives out as the results of his observation of our institutions Among other things he says he only met one man in the United States who impressed him favorably and that was Senator John Logan. He was impressed with three remarkable things, his incisive intellect, his inquiring mind, and his idiomatic English It suggests questions, regarding what company Sir Lepel Griffen kept, what his standard of a man is, and what kind of English he speaks. Certainly if he was so highly pleased with Senator Logan's idiomatic English, it is a matter of congratulation that he thought many people here were illiterate and vulgar.

Photography has now become a source of pleasure as well as a means of earning a living. Those who have followed it for pleasure however have made their recreation look like labor because of the elaborate apparatus used. Recent inventions however have obviated all laborious features of this recreation. The "amateur" photographer will now be a genuine sportsman going out to bag some game. He will take with him only a photographic gun with a few cartridges in the way of plates. When he sees a view he wants, he will raise his gun, aim and fire, thus literally "shooting the scenery" He will need no dogs to bring him the game, as it drops from his gun into his game bag. The following is a description of this wonderful machine given by a photographic dealer:

"That's the latest wrinkle in amateur photography They propose to shoot their scenery after this You see, it is a small camera, mounted on a rifle stock, and is called the gun camera It works with a flash plate, which takes an instantaneous picture, and all you have to do is to load up with plate, sight the object you want to photograph—the gun has a regular sight, you see—pull the trigger, and down drops this little door, and your picture is bagged sure every time I tell you, if you had told people a year ago that you would be going about shooting views with a gun they would have taken you for a crank, but, nevertheless, that's just exactly what the gun camera does, and nobody can deny it"

## PERSONAL

General O O Howard expects to sail for Antwerp on March 15.

Ex-Senator Conkling is said to be looking better, so far as health is concerned, than he has for years.

The prime minister of the Hawaiian kingdom is a native of South Carolina and an ex-newspaper man

Johann Strauss has agreed to accept the offer of the Imperial Opera of Vienna and write a genuine comic opera.

Mrs Gaines, the famous litigant, denies that she is rich She says that during fifty years of effort she has not recovered enough property to pay her lawyers.

No fewer than three managers are said to be competing for Miss Mary Anderson's services after the conclusion of her engagement at the Lyceum. Her receipts at that house are said to exceed a weekly average of $10,000

Frau Materna, the German prima donna, writes to a friend regarding her projected visit to this country "Can I but draw the attention of the young women of America to the nobility and worth of our German art—to that majestic method which made men and women thrill with its passions at fairfouth—my object in revisiting your shores will be fulfilled."

## The Markets

BOSTON, February 29.—Wool quiet, unchanged

PHILADELPHIA, February 29—Wool in moderate demand. New York, Michigan, Indiana and west fine 33 to 40, unwashed choice 44 to 46, pulled lambs 38 to 33.

NEW YORK, February 29—Money easy, 1 to 2 Closing offered 2; prime paper 4 to 5; sterling exchange 4 88 demand 4 89; governments quiet, railways stronger; state securities dull The result of to-day's trading on the stock exchange was that out of 35 stocks actively traded in 29 were higher than at the close last night, five lower and the rest unchanged. The market to-day began with decided weakness and lower prices in the morning, barely steady during the forenoon and strong and buoyant in the last hour with a decided gain in prices all around, which indicates, says the Post, that the bears have been led into a trap in the last two days and that the bulls still control the market. The advance in prices in the last hour of 1 to 2½ per cent was under the lead of Union Pacific, Western Union, Lake Shore and grangers Saturday's steamer for Europe takes out $1,300,000 in gold With drawals of gold from the sub treasury since February 21st are $5,150,000

There was considerable activity in the mining market and prices were generally firm. Sales included Father De Smet J 75, Bonanza King 1 00, Bulwer 1.75 to 1 80, Eastern Oregon 07, Horn Silver 7.12 to 7 37, Climax 4 05, Green Mountain 2 00, Iron Silver 1 90, Little Chief 51, Oriental & Miller 13, Robinson 35, Rappahannock 14, Sierra Grande 29, Standard 5.75 and Sutro Tunnel 15

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| Northwestern | 117¾ | Wells Fargo | 110 |
| Preferred | 142¾ | Quicksilver | 5 |
| Texas Pacific | 20¾ | Preferred | 25 |
| U S Express | 57 | Homestake | 8½ |
| W U T | 74¾ | Sutro | 15 |
| Ontario | 29 | Northern Pacific | 20¾ |
| Iron Silver | 190 | Preferred | 46 |

## Vindicating the Law

CINCINNATI, February 29—A Times Star Jackson, Ohio, special says Luke and William Jones, who with Lubar Stevens had been found guilty of the murder of Anderson Lockey, were hanged to-day. They retired at ten last night after a long season of prayer with Rev. Hollingshead, Methodist minister, who remained all night with the men. They slept soundly and had to be wakened at 6 in the morning They ate a hearty breakfast, singing hymns in the meanwhile. They kept on singing and praying while preparing for the gallows with the guard When a reporter entered the cell they greeted him cheerfully, saying, "we're going to die bravely." A procession formed in the jail, and the prisoners amply guarded for fear of violence passed out the front door of the sheriff's office in full view of a crowd in the street and into the door of the enclosure where the execution took place. Prisoners in the jail looked through the grated windows upon the scene They stepped firmly up to the place and the ropes were adjusted to their necks. After their arms and legs were tied, their minister using notes made a prayer lasting full half an hour. The drop fell at 1.12 William Jones struggled but Luke was still, his neck undoubtedly being broken The body of Williams swung round, the legs drawn up till they touched his brother's body, causing a shudder of horror among the spectators The bodies were cut down after an examination was made There was some talk in the crowd of lynching Johnson in jail for the recent murder.

NEW ORLEANS, February 29—A special to the Picayune from Franklin says. Wm Moore, colored, was hanged to-day for the murder of Lee Arman, a Chinaman, last spring. After Moore had been hanging about half a minute it was discovered the rope was too long and the feet of the culprit rested on the floor. He was raised to the platform, the rope shortened and the trap again sprung. He died of strangulation.

## The War in Egypt.

TRINKITAT, February 29—The enemy were very bold yesterday, firing on Fort Baker. None of the garrison were hit. Spies report the rebels are feasting and rejoicing because they have received large reinforcements, and that the rebels are erecting earth works. A squadron of English cavalry will act to-day as scouts, with orders to retire to the main body when they touch the rebels The rest of the cavalry will be near by to act as occasion demands.

LONDON, February 29. Latest advices from Trinkitat state that firing began at noon to-day.

LATER—General Graham telegraphs that the difficulty of advancing is so great that the forward movement has been postponed till to-morrow, when he expects to make a rapid march.

LONDON, March 1.—The firing heard at Trinkitat at noon yesterday was merely outpost firing. The government has a telegram from Suakim, dated March 1, saying Suakim is quiet, been no appearance of the enemy, no news of any engagement. It is stated that General Graham has been ordered to send a flag of truce to the tribes with the demand that they surrender or retire, and if they do not comply with the demand to attack them.

A dispatch just received says Gen. Graham sent a flag of truce to the rebels warning them to disperse. He admonishes them of the risks run by opposing the advance of her majesty's troops He also informs them of the conciliatory nature of Gen. Gordon's mission. It is generally believed at Cairo that the rebels will not be deterred by this proceeding of Gen Graham and that a British advance will take place to-day.

## The Salmi Morse Inquest

NEW YORK, February 29—The inquest in the case of Salmi Morse closed to-day with a verdict of accidental drowning. Miss Blackburn was again on the stand to-day. She said she was the daughter of Judge Blackburn of California and was married in '75 to Harry J. Morton in Virginia City Her husband died five years ago in Leadville. She had not married since. Mary, "a maid of the inn," made famous by "Tom" McGivney, testified that she was at the Cosmopolitan theatre and was requested by Miss Blackburn to wait and see her home. She did so and followed her and Morse home. The latter opened the door and went up stairs with Miss Blackburn There was a light in the latter's room McGivney was admitted by her sister Shortly after his entrance a noise was heard up stairs and witness was told by her sister to go up stairs and see what the trouble was. She went up stairs with a lighted lamp in her hand She got frightened before she reached Miss Blackburn's room however and started to go back, when McGivney appeared at the kitchen door and asked her to come in She entered the room, could not see McGivney because there was no light in the room The latter said he wanted her to go into the inner room and see what was going on, but she did not Witness saw Miss Blackburn coming from the inner room in her night dress. O'Sullivan, ex minister to Portugal, testified to knowing Morse and said later to a reporter it was at Miss Blackburn's instigation that such a rigid examination into the circumstances had been made

## A French Tragedy

PARIS, February 29—A terrible tragedy was enacted to-day in South France. A gardener named Chave employed at a convent near Marseilles, was recently dismissed for laziness To day while the sisters were walking in the convent grounds Chave suddenly appeared, drew a revolver and discharged six bullets killing the lady superior and mortally wounding one of her companions A number of peasants gathered but Chave reloaded the revolver and kept them at bay Two gendarmes then arrived and closed with Chave, who fired at them twice without hitting them. One of the gendarmes shot Chave in the chest and another bullet penetrated the murderer's ear Chave in his dying agony inflicted upon himself a third mortal wound with his own revolver.

## The Railroad Trouble.

ST. LOUIS, February 29 It is stated here on what is deemed reliable authority that the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway to-day entered into an arrangement with the St. Louis & San Francisco and Chicago & Alton, under which it will receive from them and forward all Colorado freight they offer at the cut rate ordered by Commissioner Vining The exact terms of the agreement are not ascertained but it is understood the Chicago & Alton and St. Louis and San Francisco will obtain all the Colorado business possible at this point and that the Chicago & Alton will do the same at Chicago. What effect this will have on the Western Trunk Line association is not known, but much interest is felt in future developments

## A Black Sheep Pardoned

LOUISVILLE, February 29—Thos Crittenden, son of United States Marshal Crittenden and grandson of John J. Crittenden, the noted Kentucky statesman, was to-day sentenced to three years in the state penitentiary for the killing of a negro boy, Rose Mosby, at Anchorage, Kentucky. Crittenden was a wild, reckless youth, continually getting into trouble The negro had testified in court against him and when next they met Crittenden killed him with a shot gun The sentenced man was also related to the governor of Missouri and on account of his family the best legal talent in the state defended him The case has attracted much attention here.

## Dynamiters Condemned

LONDON, February 29—In the house of commons yesterday several Parnellites strongly condemned the dynamite proceedings and declared that no excuse was valid for such attempts upon life and property They declared that conspiracies of this nature are in no wise associated with the Irish cause but had been hatched in America, and attempts to carry them out had been made by agents sent from the United States.

## A Guilty Shepherd.

CHICAGO, February 29—A Journal's special from Geneseo, Ill, says The church trial of Rev. M Spurlock, charged with falsehood, immorality and undue intimacy with Mrs. George, until recently a teacher in the Methodist Sunday school, was brought to a close this morning After being out fifteen minutes the committee returned a verdict of guilty. This suspends Spurlock from the ministry

## Panic in a Church

ST. LOUIS, February 29—Great excitement occurred in St. Patrick's Catholic church tonight by the bursting of a steam pipe used for heating the building The church was crowded, there being fully 1,000 people assembled. A panic ensued and a wild rush was made for the doors, but luckily only one person was seriously injured, a lady who fainted and was badly trampled on.

## Gordon's Proclamation

CAIRO, February 29—General Gordon's proclamation is as follows. "Since my arrival I have given you sound advice. Everything has been done to insure quietness and stop bloodshed My advice has not been followed. I am therefore forced to summon British troops They will arrive in a few days, when I shall severely punish all who do not change their conduct."

## Asiatic Hostilities

LONDON, February 29—Advices from Hay Song state that French gun boats with 1,000 men have occupied the extreme post of the rebels on the Song Ki river, ten miles below Bacninh Chinese skirmishers were firing from neighboring heights and burning the surrounding villages, gun boats returning the fire. According to latest reports 50,000 Chinese had returned to Bacninh.

## An Opera House Burned

OIL CITY, Pa., February 29.—The opera house caught fire from the furnace at midnight and was totally destroyed. The Blizzard office and Kellogg block adjoining are also burning, but it is thought will be saved, although badly damaged. The opera house cost $50,000.

## TELEGRAPH BREVITIES

The Italian cabinet have registered.

The porte has appointed Halid Pasha, a Turk, governor of Crete. Christians are furious.

The National armory at Springfield, Mass, yesterday established the eight hour system in its works.

Mrs Mary Brown, widow of John Brown, of Harper's Ferry notoriety, died at San Francisco yesterday.

In the Iowa senate a joint resolution passed memorializing congress to pass a law for the suppression of pleuro-pneumonia.

It is reported Lieutenant Davis is en route to San Carlos from Cloverdale, accompanied by Chief Geronimo and thirty-seven Apaches

In Bryan county, Ga., Sheriff Settraven and a party of friends went deer stalking. The sheriff was mistaken for a deer and shot dead

The Island of Chios and the towns of Chesme and Vowla upon the mainland, in Asia Minor have been visited by an earthquake

The new Ballard repeating arms works at Springfield were attached by the Pratt & Whitney Co, of Hartford, for breach of contract in not paying for machinery

Martin Turner & Co, merchants, of Glasgow, engaged in the East India trade, have failed The liabilities are roughly estimated at between £400,000 and £500,000.

It was rumored an attempt would be made to blow up the Waterloo railway station in London yesterday. Luggage was overhauled and orders issued to refuse suspicious parcels. The rumor proved unfounded.

Indications for Colorado—Fair weather, slight change in temperature Reports indicate the floods will exceed those of last year in the vicinity of Helena, Arkansas City, Vicksburg and the mouth of the Red river.

Orders have been cabled by the English government to English detectives at New York to inquire into the character and antecedents of all persons sailing from New York and Boston for English ports since the first of February.

A hard glove fight took place at Pittsburg yesterday between John Smith, of Colorado, and William McDonald, of Liverpool, England, for a purse of $100. It resulted in the defeat of Smith in the fourth round. The mill lasted fourteen minutes Both men were badly punished.


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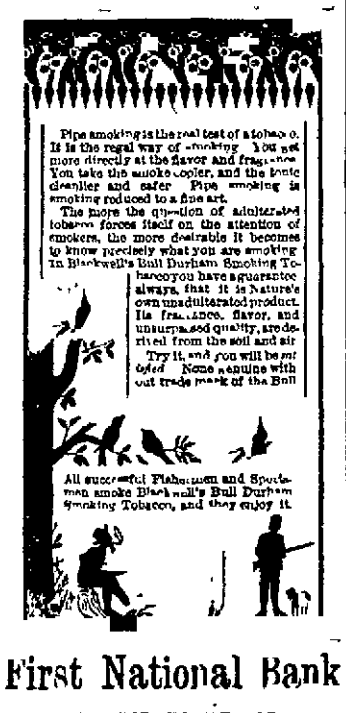



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| 5375 | N. WEBER ST—Choice lot | 550 |
| 5380 | CASCADE AVE—Vacant corner 100x190 feet | 1,200 |
| 6070 | STOCK RANCH—Fine range, with plenty of water, good improvements, very desirable and near the city | 7,000 |
| 5289 | VACANT LOT—Very central | 650 |
| 5366 | S NEVADA AVE—Vacant lot, 50x190 feet | 175 |
| 5366 | NEVADA AVE—100 feet fronting south | 350 |
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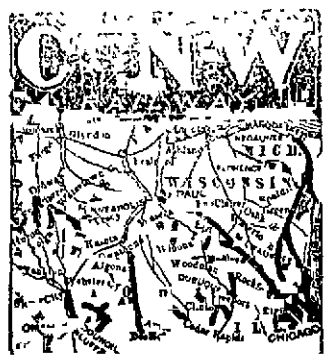


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## THE RELIGIOUS WORLD.

### Notes and Comments.

The last Christian Union contains a very able article by Professor Marden, of this city, on "The Growth and Grip of Mormonism." We gather from it the following statements, which will make their own impression:

Mormon converts can be shipped through from Liverpool to Salt Lake city at $93 a head. In one year the Mormon church sent out 160 missionaries besides 79 to Arizona to spy out and secure the best land for colonization purposes. One day last April 61 Mormon missionaries were at the Grand Central hotel New York and sailed for Europe the day following. Within eight months of last year about 3,000 Mormon proselytes arrived at New York. The Mormons have missions in England, Scotland, Wales, France, Germany, Italy, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland, Malta, Gibraltar, Hindostan, Australia, Siam, Ceylon, China, Chili, Guinea, the West Indies, the Sandwich Islands, New Zealand, Iceland, on the banks of the Nile and even in the Holy Land. Twenty-seven nationalities were represented in one of their recent celebrations. More converts were sent to Utah in the past two seasons since the passage of the Edmunds bill than in any four years previous. Mormon periodicals are issued in at least eight languages. Some of the best portions of Arizona, Wyoming, New Mexico, Idaho and Colorado, are under Mormon control. Politics in Idaho turn on the Mormon question. In Wyoming there are six times as many Mormons as Protestant evangelical church members. In Arizona 30 times as many. In Colorado Congregationalists have 24 churches, Mormon 38. The Methodists only outnumber the Mormons in Colorado. So much for the growth of Mormonism. As to its grip it is manifold.

1. It goes after simple-hearted, uneducated people and says to them many good things. Repent; fear God; be honest; be just; be virtuous.

2. It is eclectic. It accepts the Bible but adds to it the book of Mormon. With the Jews it holds to a temporal kingdom, the tithe and the prophetic order. From Greek mythology it borrows its notions of the loves of the immortals. It is polytheistic in its doctrine of many gods. It is intensely materialistic.

3. Missionary operations are conducted with self-denial and great zeal.

4. It brings the poor and degraded across the ocean without expense to a home of plenty.

5. It is minutely and thoroughly organized. From the great wheel to the least spindle the whole Mormon system is tightly bolted and geared together.

6. It plants its emigrants wherever they may be needed in order to hold the political balance of power. Its control of irrigation makes its vote solid.

7. The tithe furnishes a million dollars a year part of which goes to Washington lobbies.

8. It has stirring memories of martyrdom to appeal to.

The whole article ought to be put in tract form and scattered broadcast.

Rev. Dr. Hopper, for nearly forty years missionary of the Presbyterian board at Canton, has published an interesting, valuable paper on the number of Buddhists in the world. He claim that the figures commonly given are enormous exaggerations. Instead of there being from three to four hundred million he cuts the number down to seventy-five million.

One encouraging fact with regard to the retail liquor traffic is that it is so largely conducted by foreigners and so rarely by native Americans. In 1876 a thorough canvass was made of Philadelphia in respect to the nationality and character of its liquor dealers, with the following result: Out of 8,084 liquor dealers 7,155 were foreigners, unknown 674, and only 204 out of the eight thousand were Americans. Of this number 3,785 were directly or indirectly connected with houses of ill-fame and more than two-thirds of the dealers had been inmates of prisons and station houses. Contrast this with the fact that eighty years ago at the noon intermission in the country churches the men went over to the tavern in a body, and everybody drank. Few churches now will tolerate in their fellowship a liquor seller wholesale or retail. The word rumseller is now a term of odium.

Concerning the future of the pulpit the widely known radical Rev. O. B. Frothingham writes in the February Atlantic as follows:

If an able man has anything to say from a pulpit, an audience is ready for him; and the more authoritatively he speaks, the better they like it. To say nothing of the occasions which come to all alike, hours of sorrow, of disappointment, of defeat, that everybody meets and must surmount; of the craving to hear a word of solace, encouragement, instruction, to enlarge the horizon of experience, to obtain a wider prospect of life; to say nothing of death, that awful, mysterious certainty, so universal in its sway, so uncertain in its issues, or of conscience, whose voice is heard in every breast, the themes of the pulpit possess an inexhaustible fascination for the majority of mankind."

"The family physician," says Mr. Frothingham in another paragraph, "is the only person who has anything like the same universality of influence, anything approaching an equal range of sympathy. No other man in society pretends to it."

Rev. Dr. Bartol closed one of his speeches at the Unitarian club, some months ago, by telling the following beautiful story:

A French writer gives an account of one of that class of persons who are thought to be peculiarly exposed to materialism or atheistic doctrine. A great French surgeon carried on his work in the most noble, beneficent, and self-sacrificing way. In the same hospital was a young and beautiful woman, very dear to him,—his niece. She saw him perform most difficult operations, and carried about after him the bandages and the ointments. She was religious, and she said to him one day, "My dear uncle, what do you look for and think of beyond the grave?" He shook his head, and said, "My child, *rien, rien, rien!*" One day afterward, he said to her: "I am touched by a mortal disease. I shall die in three months. When I am on my death bed, I shall send for you to come and see me." Accordingly, he did send. She went, and found the ante room crowded, and a Roman priest striving in vain to force his passage to the death bed. The niece was admitted. She took his hand, and then of her own motion—no, it is never of one's own motion, it is of the motion of God—dropped on her knees at the bedside, and prayed: "O Lord, bless him. You promised did you not—that you would bless those who visited the sick that fed the hungry, that clothed the naked, that went to those in prison. That is just what he has done all his life. Now, O Lord, fulfill thy promise, and bless him." And the old man muttered: "It is not necessary for you to overdo it. I have done nothing but discharge my professional duties." She stopped her praying, and there was a little pause, when he, just about to expire, turned to her and said—showing the secret surmise, the apprehension, the suspicion that there is more than matter, more than earth, more than time, and there is something latent in every soul that can be awakened to it,—he turned to her and said, "Pray again: it is music that pleases me."

## YESTERDAY MORNING'S FIRE.

### Destruction of a House and Corral at Austin's Ranch.

At fifteen minutes past two yesterday morning an alarm was sounded on the fire bell by Officers McCabe and Clark. They saw flames in the eastern part of the city and from the direction concluded that it was in the second ward, and accordingly the alarm was given for that ward. One of the hose companies pulled out their cart and started east on Pike's Peak avenue but before they had gone any distance it was plainly evident that the fire was beyond the limits of the city and they returned to headquarters.

We learned yesterday morning that the fire was at the ranch of H. W. Austin about two miles east of the city occupied by the Great Plains Live Stock company, of which Mr. F. H. Austin is president. At the time the fire occurred the employes were sound asleep in the house, and were alarmed barely in time to save their lives and a few personal effects.

There seems no doubt in the minds of the employes that the fire was the work of an incendiary, as to no other cause can it be attributed. The loss to Mr. W. H. Austin will be about $4,000; insurance $1,000. The Great Plains Live Stock company lose only four or five sheep and a few sacks of grain.

### Public School Report.

The following is the report for our public schools for the month ending February 22, 1884:

| Teachers and Grades. | Number Enrolled | Average Number Belonging | Average Daily Attendance. | Average per cent. of Attendance | Number Cases Tardiness | Number Half Days' Absence | Number Cases Tardiness |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| HIGH SCHOOL. | | | | | | | |
| Albert E. Joab, Eloise Wickard | 26 | 22 | 21 | 98 | 76 | | 4 |
| F M Marchant, 8th | 50 | 50 | 46 | 92 | 95 | | 20 |
| Anna Giddings, 7th | 98 | 84 | 83 | 94 | 50 | | 2 |
| E K La Barthe, 6th | 49 | 45 | 39 | 87.7 | 210 | | 17 |
| E E Wadleigh, 5th | 67 | 61 | 54 | 89 | 160 | | 32 |
| M A Smith, 4th | 43 | 40 | 37 | 90 | 90 | | 18 |
| Mary Hana 4th | 48 | 41 | 36.4 | 88.7 | 174 | | 31 |
| NORTH SCHOOL. | | | | | | | |
| Lizzie C Smith 3d | 48 | 40 | 35 4 | 88 6 | 58 | | 8 |
| Flora Miller, 2d | 88 | 76 | 68 | 89 | 178 | | 34 |
| Carrie Holden, 1st | 65 | 47.7 | 39.2 | 82 | 141 | | 24 |
| SOUTH SCHOOL | | | | | | | |
| Ella E. Ozmun, 3d | 50 | 47 2 | 39 4 | 83 | 83 | | 26 |
| E J Norton, 1st & 2d | 115 | 96 2 | 81 6 | 88 | 88 | | 34 |

Whole number enrolled.....884

ALBERT E JOAB, Superintendent.

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### Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Springs Investment and Improvement company will be held at the office of said company, in Colorado Springs, Colorado, March 5th, 1884, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. A. H. PARTRIDGE, Secretary.
dwb-22-td

### Instructions to Bidders.

Proposals for the construction of the new school building at Colorado Springs will be received up to noon of March 8, 1884, and opened at Dr. Horn's office, Tejon street, at 4 o'clock p. m., of same day. Proposals must be sealed; contain a certified check for $100 00, as an earnest of the bidder's intention to make a contract if the lowest bidder, which check will be returned when contract is made; proposals must be presented in person, and will be opened in the presence of the bidders; the lowest bidder will be expected to present the names of three bondsmen, each one of whom, in the estimation of the board, shall be worth $10,000 00. The board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals submitted. Plans and specifications can be seen at A. Sagendorf's drug store.

A. SAGENDORF,
Chairman of the Building Committee of Board of Education. b-26tf

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OF THE
MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK
F. S. WINSTON, President.
For the Year Ending December 31st, 1883.
ASSETS $101,148,248.25.

ANNUITY ACCOUNT.

| | No | Ann. Pay'ts | | No. | Ann. Pay'ts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Annuities in force Jan. 1, 1883 | 55 | $19,200 01 | Annuities in force Jan. 1, 1884 | 61 | $21,134 31 |
| Premium Annuities | | 3,713 44 | Premium Annuities | | 1,674 96 |
| Annuities Issued | 7 | 4,433 40 | Annuities Terminated | 1 | 537 48 |
| | 62 | $27,346 75 | | 62 | $27,346 75 |

INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

| | No | Amount. | | No | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Policies in force Jan. 1, 1883 | 106,214 | $429,554,174 | Policies in force Jan. 1, 1884 | 110,090 | $452,940,049 |
| Risks assumed | 11,531 | 37,810,597 | Risks terminated | 6,755 | 24,418,369 |
| | 117,745 | $467,364,771 | | 117,745 | $467,364,771 |

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

| Dr. | | Cr. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| To balance from last account | $92,782,986 08 | By paid death claims | $ 5,095,795 00 |
| " premium received | 13,457,928 44 | " " matured endowments | 2,806,261 73 |
| " interest and rents | 5 042 964 45 | Total claims—$7,902,056 73 | |
| | | " " annuities | 27,661 88 |
| | | " " dividends | 3,138,401 69 |
| | | " " surrendered policies and additions | 2,831,160 71 |
| | | Total paid policy holders—$13,999,380 61 | |
| | | " " commissions (payment of current and extinguishment of future) | 980,721 90 |
| | | " " premium charged off on securities purchased | 406,473 22 |
| | | " " taxes and assessments | 228,467 80 |
| | | " " expenses | 834,722 79 |
| | | " " balance to new account | 94 972,106 86 |
| | $111,283,878 97 | | $111,283,878 97 |

BALANCE SHEET.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| To reserve at 4 per cent | $ 95 571,577 00 | By bonds secured by mortgages on real estate | $ 46,303,472 34 |
| " claims by death not yet due | 908,135 00 | " United States and other bonds | 25,279 040 00 |
| " premiums paid in advance | 22 704 38 | " loans on collaterals | 16,057,910 00 |
| " agents' balances | 3,479 55 | " real estate | 8,033,971 89 |
| " surplus and contingent guarantee fund | 4 638,463 34 | " cash in banks and trust companies at interest | 3,403,249 63 |
| | | " interest accrued | 1,310,586 23 |
| | | " premiums deferred, quarterly and semi-annual | 1,079,229 08 |
| | | " premiums in transit, principally for December | 140,766 48 |
| | $101,148,248 25 | | $101,148,248 25 |

NOTE.—If the New York Standard of four and a half per cent interest be used, the surplus is over $12,000,000.

From the surplus, as appears in the Balance Sheet, a dividend will be apportioned to each participating policy which shall be in force at its anniversary in 1884

The premium rates charged for insurance in this company were reduced in 1879 about 15 per cent on ordinary life policies.

Assets $101,148,248 25.
NEW YORK, January 18, 1884.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

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### WANTED.

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### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room suitable for two persons. Table boarders also accommodated. Apply at the Parrish house, east side Weber, second door north of Klowa. Mrs. D. Russ Wood. o-1-tf

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### Notice.

The hotel Antlers having come into possession of the undersigned trustees, named in the second mortgage of the company, will be kept open for guests and conducted substantially as heretofore until further notice.

HANSON A. RISLEY,
CHARLES W. DEAKE
Trustees.

Colorado Springs, Colo., February 4, 1884.

### Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Coal and Iron company will be held at the principal office of the company at Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the seventh day of April, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon. The transfer books of the company, for the transfer of stock, will close at 3 p. m. on the first day of March next, and remain closed until three days after the adjournment of the meeting.

b-22-tf WILLIAM WAGNER, Secretary.

### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, J. H. Behrens, by his certain deed of trust dated on the seventh day of September, A. D. 1880, and recorded in the office of the county clerk and recorder of El Paso county, state of Colorado, in book 29, on page 340, of the records thereof, on the seventh day of September, A. D. 1880, to secure the payment of his promissory note bearing even date with said deed of trust, and payable to the order of R R. Taylor with interest thereon from date until paid at the rate of one per cent. per month, payable semi-annually, did convey to Andrew Sagendorf, of the county of El Paso and state of Colorado, as trustee, all the hereinafter described premises; by which deed of trust it is provided that in case of default in the payment of said note, or any part thereof, or the interest thereon, it may be lawful for the said Andrew Sagendorf to advertise and sell the said premises as therein provided. And whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and a portion of the interest thereon, according to its tenor and effect, and the same being now due and unpaid; now, therefore, I, Andrew Sagendorf, trustee as aforesaid, at the request of the legal holder and owner of said note, do hereby give public notice that I shall on Tuesday, the fourth day of March, A. D. 1884, at the hour of 4 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the court house in the county of El Paso, in the state of Colorado, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the premises in said deed of trust described, to wit: The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, section nineteen, and north half of northwest quarter and southwest quarter of northwest quarter and northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section thirty, all in township sixteen, south of range sixty-four west; also, the south half of northeast quarter, and all of the southeast quarter of section twenty-four, and the east half of section twenty-five, in township sixteen south of range sixty-five west, and containing in the aggregate 760 acres, be the same more or less, all in the county of El Paso, state of Colorado aforesaid, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said J. H. Behrens, his heirs or assigns therein.

ANDREW SAGENDORF, Trustee.

Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colo., February 2d, A. D. 1884. b-3 td

Wrapping Paper.
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Wrapping Paper
A Good Article.

### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Charles A. Behrens and John Henry Behrens by their certain deed of trust, dated on the twenty-eighth day of October, A. D., 1880, and recorded in the office of the county clerk and recorder of the county of El Paso and state of Colorado, in book 29 on page 472 of the records thereof, on the 28th day of October, A. D., 1880, to secure the payment of their two certain promissory notes, bearing even date with said deed of trust and payable to the order of Mrs. Mary E Taylor, with interest thereon from date until paid at the rate of one (1) per cent. per month, payable semi-annually, did convey to A. A. McGovney, of the county of El Paso and state of Colorado, as trustee, all the hereinafter described premises; by which deed of trust it is provided that in case of default in the payment of said notes or any part thereof, or the interest thereon, it may be lawful for the said A. A McGovney to advertise and sell the said premises as therein provided And, whereas default has been made in the payment of said notes and portion of the interest thereon, according to their tenor and effect, and the same being now due and unpaid. Now, therefore, I, A. A. McGovney, trustee as aforesaid at the request of the legal holder and owner of said notes, do hereby give public notice that I shall, on Tuesday, the fourth day of March, A. D., 1884, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the court house, in the county of El Paso, in the state of Colorado, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the premises in said deed of trust described, to wit: The south-east quarter of the north-west quarter and the east half of the south-west quarter, and the south-west quarter of the south-west quarter of section nineteen in township sixteen south, of range sixty-four west; also the northeast quarter of the north-east quarter of section thirteen and the north-west quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-four, and the south half of the south west quarter of section twenty-five, and the southeast quarter of section twenty-two, all of section twenty-six, and the northeast quarter and the east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven, and the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of section thirty-five, and the east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-four in township sixteen south of range sixty-five west, all in El Paso county, state of Colorado aforesaid, together with all and singular, the tenements, hereditaments, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said Charles A. Behrens and John Henry Behrens, their heirs or assigns therein.

A. A. McGOVNEY, Trustee.

Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colo., February, 2d, A. D., 1884. b-3-td

### Summons.

STATE OF COLORADO, } ss.
County of El Paso. }

In the county court of said county, in the state of Colorado.

Mary S. Morley, Plaintiff,
Against
Joseph F. Morley, Defendant.

The People of the State of Colorado send Greeting.

To Joseph F. Morley, defendant, above named You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the county court of the county of El Paso, state of Colorado, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or if served out of this county, but in this district, within twenty days; otherwise within forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you, according to the prayer of the complaint

The said action is brought to procure a decree of this court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that on or about the first day of January, 1883, defendant, without any reasonable cause, deserted and abandoned plaintiff, and still continues so to desert and abandon plaintiff and to live separate and apart from her, without her consent and against her will, as will more fully appear by the complaint on file herein, to which reference is here made

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the county court of the county of El Paso, state of Colorado, at Colorado Springs, this 8th day of January, A. D 1884. EDWARD F. WRIGHT, Clerk.
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# DAILY GAZETTE.

SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1884

## TIME TABLE.

### Denver & Rio Grande Railway.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No 1. Leadville mail, for Pueblo, El Moro, West Cliff, Leadville and Kansas City, arrive 11.32 a m, depart 11 37 a m

" 3 Leadville express, for Pueblo, Kansas City, Leadville, Frisco, Red Cliff, Silverton and New Mexico, and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 10 37 p m. depart 10 42 p. m

" 7. Pacific express, for Gunnison, Salt Lake, Ogden, San Francisco and all points west, daily, arrive 10 57 p. m, depart 11 00 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 2. Denver express, from Leadville, West Cliff, El Moro, Pueblo and Kansas City, arrive 8.46 p m., depart 8 50 p m.

4. Eastern express, from Red Cliff, Frisco, Leadville, Kansas City, Pueblo and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 8 50 a m, depart 8 55 a m.

" 6. Atlantic express, from California, Ogden, Salt Lake, Gunnison and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 5 40, p. m, depart 5.44 p m

### Colorado Springs & Manitou R'y.

| Leave Colo Springs. | Leave Manitou. |
|---|---|
| 9 15 a m | 8.30 a. m. |
| 12 05 p m. | 11.05 a. m. |
| 5 00 p m | 3 16 p m. |

Through tickets for sale to all principal cities East, at the depot. Parties can select their own route.

Trains now running through to Leadville. Pullman palace sleepers attached to night trains. Horton reclining chair cars on day trains. Observation cars on daylight trains through the Royal Gorge in the Grand Canyon.

For full information call on or address
J M. ELLISON, Agent.

### Denver & New Orleans Railway.

| GOING SOUTH. | GOING NORTH |
|---|---|
| No. 6 45 p m | No. 2. . ... 9 30 a m |

### Postoffice Bulletin

The postoffice is open daily from 7 30 a m to 7.30 p. m. Sundays from 12 m to 1 p m. and from 5.00 to 6.00 p m. Mails arrive and depart as follows.

| GOING SOUTH | DEPART. | |
|---|---|---|
| Via D & R. G . .. .., | 11.12 a. m. | 8 00 p. m. |
| Via D & N. O.. ... | | 6 20 p. m. |
| GOING NORTH | | |
| Via D. & N O . . | 9 15 a. m | |
| Via D & R. G . . | 8 25 p m | 5 20 p m. |
| MAIL FROM THE NORTH. | ARRIVE. | |
| Via D & R. G... . ... ... | 12.00 m. | 10 40 p m. |
| Via D & N. O .. | | 7.00 p. m. |
| MAIL FROM THE SOUTH | | |
| Via D. & N. O . . . . | 9 45 a. m | |
| Via D. & R. G. . . | 3 50 a m | 3 55-6 00" |
| | DEPART | ARRIVE |
| Colorado City & Manitou .. | 11 25 a. m | 12.00 m |
| Manitou .. | 3.20 p m | 8.55 p. m. |

Mail for Sanview and Hatton closes Sunday at 6 00 p m Arrives Thursday at 6 00 p m

Mail for Suffolk and Sanborn closes Monday at 12 m, and arrives Saturday at 3 p m

County court will convene on Monday when the liquor cases will be taken up.

The reserved seat sale for Haverly's Strategists will open at Howbert Bros' this morning at eight o'clock

"Our Strategists" will probably be the only play at the opera house for a month. It is a standard attraction and should be well patronized.

Sergeant Hall, of the United States signal service, who has been confined to his room with inflammatory rheumatism is able to be about again.

Mrs Abby Sage Richardson will deliver a supplemental lecture on Robert and Elizabeth Downing at The Antlers this morning at 11 o'clock.

C. H. St. John, of Denver, will lecture in this city under the auspices of the W. C. T. U, on the 23d of March. He is said to be a practical and interesting speaker.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs E. C. Bartlett will take place at the family residence on South Weber street at one o'clock this afternoon. All friends are invited to attend.

There will be an oratorical contest between the state university at Boulder, the university at Denver and Colorado College on April 11th. Probably the contest will take place at the Denver university.

Next Monday night the citizens of Colorado Springs will have the opportunity of seeing Haverly's Strategists. As is announced they will only play to laughing room. And those anxious to see a funny play should attend.

Marshal Beall took several boys before Justice Pixley yesterday for throwing stones They were given a sound lecture and sent on their way rejoicing with the understanding that if they repeated the offense they would be severely punished.

We learn that the telephone line between Colorado Springs and Denver is approaching completion At last accounts there was about five miles unfinished and it is expected that communication will be had between the two places in a day or two.

Commissioner C. R. Husted came down from his ranch yesterday morning. He said that it seemed quite like getting into a summer climate to get down to Colorado Springs. Since the fifth of December the snow on the divide has been knee deep

The subject of Major Dane's lecture will be "Up the Rhine and over the Alps with a Knapsack." From what we can learn this will be one of the most interesting lectures in the M. E church course. The excellence of the first one is sufficient assurance that the next one will be up to the standard

Mr A. Sagendorf has disposed of his drug business to Mr R. R Taylor, who has already taken possession. Mr Taylor is an old time resident of Colorado Springs, and a practical druggist. He will aim to sustain the popularity that the old st. J has always had and at the same time try to give satisfaction to every one.

Col. C. C. Davis, proprietor of the Leadville evening Chronicle, and morning Democrat, accompanied by ex-Mayor Dougan, of the carbonate camp, were among the arrivals at The Antlers yesterday. They left for their home on the express last night. Dr. Dougan is thinking some of locating his family here providing he can find a suitable home for them

Mr C. W. Sherman left Colorado Springs for his home at Charlotte, Mich, 170 miles east of Chicago, Thursday evening, Feb 21, at 6 o'clock p. m, with the D. & R G, arriving in Denver in time to take the 9:35 C. B & Q train for Chicago, reaching Chicago on Saturday a little after 1 o'clock, in time to take the train on the Grand Trunk at 3 p. m., arriving home at 9 30, making the whole distance of over 1,300 miles in 2 days, 8 hours and 30 minutes. Who can beat that?

"Hoop of Gold" did not draw as large an audience at the opera house last night as it deserved. The company was a very evenly balanced one and without exception the characters were well sustained. The plot is an exciting one and of a melo-dramatic nature. Much reliance is placed on the scenic effect but much of the scenery was too large to be set upon the opera house stage. The selections given by the orchestra during the evening were well received, more especially the trombone solo by De Loes Von Osten

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